

## Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 25, 1913.

## Local Matters.

## Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:38 and sets at 7:29. High water at 5:57 a. m. and 6:33 p. m.

## Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair, cooler tonight. Friday fair; light winds, mostly northwest to north.

## THE RICHMOND HOWITZERS.

The Richmond Howitzers after their march from Staunton to this city reached Richmond Tuesday night. The Times Dispatch says:

"The reception tendered the battery and its guests by the Lee Camp Confederate Veterans and the Daughters of the Confederacy of Alexandria was the close and the crown of our long march. At 12 m., on Tuesday, the Howitzers and their guests and friends were welcomed at the Lee Camp Hall by a large assembly of the ladies and veterans. The home is a large and handsome mansion, with spacious apartments, which have been beautifully fitted and furnished. When the Howitzers boys marched in they were received with hearty applause. Colonel Sanoct, of Lee Camp, introduced Mr. J. M. Johnson, who in the most cordial terms expressed the sentiment of Alexandria and its ladies in giving the freedom of the city to the Howitzers. He said that Alexandria had been the home of the two greatest rebels in all history—George Washington and Robert E. Lee. Captain Myers responded in most graceful terms, thanking the good people of the city in the name of his young soldiers. Captain John Lamb spoke eloquently for the veterans and other guests who were members of the marching force, and the chaplain, affirming that he was one of the boys of the company, told of their manly spirit and their soldierly discharge of duty. He declared that the captain himself was the hero of the march, which was followed by long-continued applause from the men. The dinner which followed was one that cannot be compared to any other city. It was just the thing needed by the company coming out of camp, and was served in most tasteful style. The crabs and old ham, the ice cream and cake, followed by coffee and cigars, made a sudden change in the manner of life; but the boys showed no reluctance, and the ladies continued their assiduous attentions."

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## COOLER WEATHER.

The weather yesterday continued oppressive until late in the afternoon when a cooling westerly breeze set in, and the mercury which at 4 o'clock stood at 96° dropped in an hour to 88°. There were slight sprinklings of rain at intervals during the night and this morning cooler conditions prevailed. There were many prostrations and deaths from heat to neighboring cities during the prevalence of the late hot wave. At 2:00 p. m. today the mercury registered 86°.

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## WEDDINGS.

A very pretty home wedding was celebrated last night at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents when Miss Elsie E. Roberts, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Roberts, was married to Mr. William Burrill, son of Justus Burrill, of Alexandria county, the ceremony being performed by Rev. W. W. Van Arsdale, of Trinity M. E. Church, only the immediate relatives and a few friends of the contracting parties being present. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Mabel Mumford, while the groom's best man was Mr. Walter Harrison, brother-in-law of the bride. The bride's wedding gown was a creation of white batiste with lace while her going-away costume was of white cloth, with hat and gloves to match. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Burrill left for Atlantic City, and upon their return will make their home with the bride's parents in this city.

Mr. Arthur T. Brenner and Miss Virginia Brown were married at 9:30 o'clock last night at the rectory of Grace Church by Rev. Edgar Carpenter.

Mr. Wilmer H. Scott and Miss Lena Craven, daughter of Mr. Wm. L. Craven, were married at 8 o'clock last night at the parsonage of the Methodist Protestant Church by Rev. G. I. Humphreys.

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## STREET NOTES.

The railroad track which for years ran against the curb at the northwest corner of Duke and Fayette streets has been laid in the middle of the intersection, but there is a deep gutter extending from the planking to the curb which occasions difficulty to those passing that point, especially when baby carriages have to be pushed across. The planking should have covered this gutter.

The drainage pipes at Commerce and Payne streets and Prince and Payne streets are choked, and unwholesome and unsightly puddles of soap suds and kitchen drainage are festering in the sun. Several pyramids of weeds and muds are in the alley bounded by Fairfax, Royal, Wilkes and Gibson streets, which should be removed. A man whose yard abuts on the alley cleaned out the gutters yesterday, and the city cars should now haul the accumulations away.

## ACCIDENTS.

James Wilkins, about thirty-eight years of age, had his left leg badly crushed while attempting to board a freight train at the Potomac railroad yards shortly after 9 o'clock last night. The unfortunate man was picked up by employees of the yard and brought on an engine to this city and placed in the Alexandria Hospital. Later Dr. M. D. Delaney amputated the injured member below the knee. Wilkins is an Englishman, but, it is said, he has been living recently in Richmond.

John Johnson, colored, employed at the Mutual Ice Company's plant, was the victim of a serious accident yesterday morning. He had one of his fingers torn from his hand while operating an electrical device used for hoisting ice. The injured man was attended by Dr. Snowden.

## MAGISTRATE'S COURT.

Among the cases before Justice Wright at New Alexandria a few days ago was that of Florence Dodson, colored, charged with mixing broken glass with potatoes and butter and feeding the same to the children of George Neitzer. The charge was not proven and the accused was dismissed.

Ernest Pettit was charged with disorderly conduct at a picnic at Accotink. He was made to pay \$5.40 and required to give bond to keep the peace.

## CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY.

[Judge J. B. T. Thornton, presiding.] Baldwin vs. Smith, suit for balance on contract for \$337, jury and verdict for \$237 for plaintiff. Court adjourned for the term.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

The water mains of the city will be flushed tomorrow morning.

Susie E. Webb, colored, 46 years old, died at her home, 616 Pitt street, yesterday.

The Cardinals yesterday defeated the Early Riders in a game of baseball by a score of 15 to 9.

The W. C. T. U. celebrated Flower Day today and kindly remembered this office by sending here a beautiful bouquet.

The schooner Marie O. Teel, from Maine with ice for the Mutual Ice Company of this city, passed in the capes this morning.

Mr. S. D. DeVaughan has been awarded the contract for the erection of a frame building for Mr. T. F. Ellis, near Mt. Vernon.

The remains of the late Mrs. Leslie Lee Damon, who died in Washington on Tuesday, were brought to this city today and interred.

Almost unnoticed and without any pretense of display, the Union station, street car line, in Washington, was inaugurated yesterday afternoon at 1:45 o'clock.

The burning of Rome will be portrayed in moving pictures tonight by the Alexandria Amusement Company on King street, near Pitt. Other reels will also be exhibited.

A Southern Railway locomotive was derailed near the intersection of Wolfe and Canal streets about five o'clock this morning. It was replaced upon the track this afternoon.

Select Lynnhaven Hard Crabs, 40c per dozen at the Opera House Cafe tonight.

Dr. Hicks, Eye Specialist, 113 north Washington street. Examination free. Jeph 120.

Fried Clams 30c dozen. Vegetable soup Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; clam soup Monday, Wednesday and Friday. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Square. mar 27

## New York Stock Market.

New York, June 25.—There generally strong tone all through the first hour, when prices of many of stocks traded in made advances ranging from fractions to over one point. Union Pacific crossed 144; St. Paul moved up 1½ and strength was shown in reading, B. &amp; O., Southern Pacific and Hill stocks. Rock Island continued to drag. Westinghouse improved 2½. B. R. T. advanced a point and American Locomotive 1½.

The State Board of Medical Examiners met in Richmond yesterday and faced a class of 197 men who desired to take the "exams" for license to practice in Virginia.

## For a Sprained Ankle.

As usually treated, a sprained ankle will disable the injured person for a month or more, but by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and observing the directions with each bottle faithfully, a cure may be effected in many cases in less than one week's time. This liniment is a most remarkable preparation. Try it for a sprain or bruise, or when laid up with chronic or muscular rheumatism, and you are certain to be delighted with the prompt relief which it affords. For sale by W. F. Creighton and Co. and Richard Gibson.

## NOTICE.—The mains of the Alexandria Water Company will be flushed Friday, June 26th, beginning at 7 a. m. Housekeepers will take notice and supply themselves with water. GEO. ULLER, Secretary.

## FOR RENT.

MANOKIN on Seminary Hill, 18 rooms, stable, fine shade; lovely place to spend the summer. ROBERT ELLIOTT, Real Estate Agent, 127 South Royal street. June 25

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. Robert W. Fuller yesterday morning at her home, on Oronoco street, charmingly entertained at cards in honor of her great, Miss Bessie Randolph. Seven hard euchre was the game and two prizes were awarded.

Among this year's graduates at the Virginia Military Institute at Lexington was Cadet Johnson, of Alexandria, who also took his degree in the electrical course. Cadet Johnson was the youngest man in his class.

Mr. Thomas H. Traver, of the Washington, Alexandria &amp; Mt. Vernon Railway Company, left last night for Norfolk on business connected with the road.

Cadets Arthur P. Lewis, of Massachusetts; Harry T. Jones, of Virginia; Lawrence H. Earle, of New Jersey; Middleton Chambers, of Virginia, this year's graduates, with Cadet Conrad Johnson, of this city, are in Alexandria on a short visit to Cadet Johnson.

Mr. M. R. Goodhand has returned from a pleasant trip to friends in Baltimore.

Mrs. Lucy L. Lunt has gone to Blue Mount to spend the summer.

Mr. W. A. Fr. C. of Leesburg, Florida, was in the city today on a short visit.

No Need of Suffering from Rheumatism. It is a mistake to allow anyone to suffer from rheumatism, as the pain can always be relieved, and in most cases a cure effected by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. It makes sleep and rest possible. Even in cases of long standing this liniment should be used on account of the relief which it affords. Do not be discouraged until you have given it a trial. For sale by W. F. Creighton and Co. and Richard Gibson.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are prompt and thorough and will in very short time cure the most stubborn cases. Sold by W. F. Creighton &amp; Co.

\$2.50, \$3, and \$5.00 Ladies' Shoes, in black and tan, low and high cut, mostly small sizes, offered for a few days only at 79 cents. J. A. Marshall &amp; Bro.

## Auditor's Annual Statement

Showing the amount of receipts with which the Treasurer is charged on the books of the city, and the amount of warrants drawn upon the Treasurer on account of the various departments of the city government for the fiscal year terminating May 31, 1913.

## GENERAL FUND.

## RECEIPTS.

Balance in city treasury, June 1, \$7,695 18  
From Fred. J. Paff, Mayor, for license, 15,556 81  
Contract night soil, 250 00  
From F. E. Gorman, Jr., for license, 3,578 75  
For taxes paid in 1912, including tax sale bills, 1,955 06  
For taxes 1912, rents, etc., \$3,053 31  
For paving bills, King street, Royal to Fayette, 547 70  
For paving bills, King street, Fayette street to corporation line, 2,391 60  
For paving bills, Washington street, Queen to Wythe, 4,844 33  
From Harry B. Caton, Police Justice, for fines June 1, 1907—April, 1908, 3,158 80  
From E. F. Price, Auditor, for receipts from dog licenses issued from June 1, 1907, to June 1, 1908, 1,116 00  
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From State of Virginia for one-third expiration tax paid by the city of Alexandria, 770 00  
From Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Co., for balance paving Prince street, 22 67  
From Augustus Dean rent canal lot, 10 00  
From Committee on Public Property sale Royal street engine house, 624 00  
From Committee on Light sale of old power house, 75 00  
From Committee on Streets sale of curbing, p. p., etc., 121 86  
From Fire Wardens sale of old material, 21 96  
From Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad for paving King and Fayette streets, 85 00  
From Southern Railway Co. rebate on freight bills, 30 49  
From sundry persons for building permits, 173 50  
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From sundry persons for street surveys, 115 00  
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From Alexandria Gas Works for amount transferred from gas fund to general fund, 12,000 00  
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## EXPENDITURES.

Fred. J. Paff, Mayor, \$315 09  
E. F. Price, Auditor, 980 00  
S. F. Fisher, Corporation Attorney, 50 00  
E. C. Dunn, City Engineer, 1,800 00  
D. R. Stansbury, Clerk Council, 150 00  
W. L. Craven, Auditor, 540 00  
H. L. Thompson, Clerk Board of Aldermen, 105 00  
John B. Lyphen, Messenger Board of Aldermen, Justice, 730 00  
Harry B. Caton, Police Justice, 300 00  
William M. Smith, Keeper Poor House, 220 00  
K. Kemper, Superintendent Public Schools, 500 00  
T. W. Robinson, City Treasurer, 600 00  
Charles H. Callahan, Commissioner of Revenue, 250 00  
George W. Potter, Chief of Fire Department, 300 00  
E. A. Gorman, Physician to Poor, 200 00  
W. A. Warfield, Physician to Poor, 600 00  
Robert H. Cox, City Sergeant, 500 00  
Samuel G. Brent, Commonwealth's Attorney, 840 00  
N. S. Greenway, Clerk Court, 750 00  
Charles T. Goods, Chief of Police, 750 00  
James Smith, Lieutenant, 600 00  
Gayton Arrington, Police man, 600 00  
J. D. Beach, 600 00  
J. E. Bell, 600 00  
Wm. H. Ferguson, 600 00  
J. Chris Gill, 600 00  
John T. Henderson, 600 00  
Herbert C. Knight, 600 00  
Wm. E. Lyles, 600 00  
J. T. Rawlett, 600 00  
A. J. Nicholson, 600 00  
Fred. J. Gorman, 600 00  
Stewart M. Jones, 600 00  
John T. Roberts, 600 00  
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James Talbot, 600 00  
James F. Webster, 600 00  
Bauer T. Young, 600 00  
W. H. Boone, Engineer, 155 15  
Ernest Warder, 414 85  
Julian Ballenger, 600 00  
Noble L. Smith, Engineer, 810 00  
Hess Power, Driver, 370 00  
Stephen Taylor, 370 00

Jno. E. Clapdore, Driver,	630 00
Reliance Engine Co. expenses,	1,797 75
Columbia Engine Co.,	1,461 15
Relief Truck Co.,	734 82
Fire Plugs,	635 05
Coupon Bonds issue of 1879,	27,904 14
Coupon Bonds issue of 1902,	2,107 00
The Slaking Fund,	1,897 92
Corporation Court,	1,736 63
Circuit Court,	618 74
City Jail,	217 02
Chain Gang,	101 53
Less expenses,	1,883 09
City Council,	574 47
Station House,	25 45
Auditor's Office,	36 15
Treasurer's Office,	4 25
Tax Collector's Office,	88 05
Commissioner of Revenue's Office,	80 74
City Engineer's Office,	1,501 42
Poor and Work House,	2,117 52
Outdoor Poor,	5,273 65
Electric Light,	182 00
Cleaning Ditches,	44 50
Auditor's fee on licenses,	369 10
Coroner's inquest,	77 58
Dog licenses,	386 50
Election expenses,	14,200 00
Mayor's commission on licenses,	50 00
Public schools,	4 00
Alexandria Hospital,	137 50
Commissioner of Revenue's fee,	8,181 91
Printing and advertising,	2,716 88
Cleaning streets,	1,257 45
Special street work,	10,507 98
Repairing streets, Queen to Wythe,	7,855 10
King street, Fayette to line,	2,358 54
Sewer construction,	1,342 13
Street tools,	168 73
Street surveys,	5 00
Peyton street sewer,	14,113 38
Curbing and brick account,	4 97
Sewer pipe account,	10 00
Fairfax street, Cameron to King,	241 34
Printing and advertising,	96 45
Luncheon commissions,	966 73
Public property,	1,76 54
Princess street, Union to Lee,	62 72
Delinquent taxes,	150 00
Appropriation for firemen,	500 00
Appropriation for parade committee,	100 00
Appropriation for Alexandria Kindergarten,	100 00
	\$147,721 12

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E. F. PRICE, Auditor.

This account has been examined and its correctness is hereby certified.

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THOS. W. ROBINSON, City Treasurer.

This account has been examined and found correct.

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## MASSON'S—A called communication of

ANDREW JACKSON LODGE, No. 120, A. F. &amp; A. M., will be held at the temple TUESDAY NIGHT, the 30th instant, at 7:30 o'clock, for Work. By order of the Worshipful Master, J. E. ALEXANDER, Jeph 14.

## CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK,

Alexandria, Va., June 25, 1908  
At a meeting of the board of directors of the Citizens' National Bank, held this day, a resolution was adopted of four per cent was declared, payable to stockholders on and after July 1, 1908.  
RICHARD M. GREEN, Cashier.